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In re Application of  
Frank M. Keese et al.  
Serial Number: 09/608,649  
Filed: June 30, 2000

For: FLEXIBLE COMPOSITES WITH INTEGRAL  
FLIGHTS FOR USE IN HIGH-TEMPERATURE  
FOOD PROCESSING EQUIPMENT AND  
METHODS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

PETITION UNDER  
M.P.E.P.708.02 IV

This is in response to the petition filed March 5, 2004, requesting that the above-identified application be granted Special Status under Section 708.02 IV of the MPEP and 37 CFR 1.102(c) (**no fee required**).

The request for Special Status considered under Section 708.02 IV of the MPEP is granted because criteria under 37 CFR 1.102(c) has been met.

Accordingly the petition is **GRANTED**.

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